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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Madam:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 and 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in response to the Office Action mailed July 26, 2005, following the amendment format set forth under 37 CFR §1.121. After this introductory section, there are Amendments to the Claims and then Remarks, each starting on a separate page.

Amendments to the Claims consist of amendments for claims 8, 24 and 39, which are incorporated in a complete listing of the claims.